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SUBJECT: CCD: PAKISTANI INTEREST IN SOUTH ASIAN NUCLEAR

FREE ZONE

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1. US REP MAY REPLY TO NAIK THAT WE WOULD OF COURSE HAVE NO OBJECTION IF PAKISTAN REQUESTS INSCRIPTION OF SOUTH ASIAN NUCLEAR FREE ZONE AS SEPARATE ITEM ON GA AGENDA. WE WOULD REGARD THIS AS MATTER FOR PAK DECISION.

2. IN RESPONSE TO NAIK'S OTHER QUESTION, WHETHER USG COULD SUPPORT IDEA OF SOUTH ASIAN NUCLEAR FREE ZONE "DESPITE INDIAN ATTITUDE", YOU SHOULD REMIND NAIK OF US CRITERIA FOR NFZ'S PREVIOUSLY STATED IN CCD (MOST RECENTLY IN US STATEMENT JULY 2), INCLUDING CRITERIA THAT IT WOULD BE ESSENTIAL TO INCLUDE WITHIN NFZ ANY STATE WHOSE FAILURE TO PARTICIPATE MIGHT RENDER AGREEMENT INEFFECTUAL, AND THAT NFZ SHOULD BE INITIATED BY STATES IN AREA CONCERNED AND BE 'ACCEPTABLE TO THEM. NAIK'S QUESTION CLEARLY IMPLIES PAK EXPECTATION THAT THESE CRITERIA CANNOT BE OBSERVED. WHILE WE CANNOT FORECAST US POSITION ON SPECIFIC PROPOSAL, IT IS REASONABLE TO ASSUME OUR APPROACH WOULD BE CONSISTENT WITH STATED CRITERIA. KISSINGER

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